

The Avalanche.

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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The shortage of Mississippi's treasurer now foots up \$330,000. Bourbon state treasurers are an expensive luxury. The plan of stealing offices by suppressing the vote appears to stimulate them to steal state funds. —Blade.

The reason New Jersey goes Democratic has been discovered. A legislative investigation is in progress, which has already found that more than 2,000 Democratic tickets were put in the boxes illegally, and the inquiry has only begun. The Democratic party of the North is evidently attempting to import Southern election methods into the North. —Blade.

The U. S. census enumeration begins on the first day of June next, and is to be completed in cities in 45 days, and in country districts in 30 days. The enumerators are required to take an oath that they will perform their duties faithfully, and for any violation of this oath or false return will be subjected to a fine of \$8,000 and three years imprisonment. The law also imposes a penalty on every householder who refuses to give accurate and complete answers to questions asked by the enumerators.

The New York Sun is Democratic, but not of the Cleveland brand. It severely remarks:

"Bah! Cleveland is about obsolete. When a man gets on so much adipose that the rolls on the back of his belt neck hang over the collar, it is sheer nonsense to think of him as a candidate for President."

Nothing any Republican paper, even in the heat of a campaign, ever said about Cleveland, is quite as strong, as the Sun's utterance—which is simply brutal. —Blade.

The rapidity with which the country has been paying its public debt during the last 10 years has excited the admiration of the world, says the Boston Advertiser. To-day we are paying as interest upon our debt \$35,000,000. In contrast with this France pays annually in interest £258,000,000; Great Britain, \$130,000,000; Austria-Hungary, \$120,000,000; Italy, 100,000,000; Russia, \$220,000,000, and Spain, 56,000,000. Prussia alone of the German states pays \$44,000,000, and Canada, with but one-twelfth of the population of this country, pays nearly one-third as much annually in interest, or \$10,000,000.

Consul General Sutton, at Nuevo Laredo, Mex., has reported to the state department that 23,000 tons of American steel rails have been recently imported into Mexico for use in the construction of the Monterrey and Mexican Gulf railway. He says the president of the road informed him that the cost was less than it would have been on the same quantity of European rails of the same grade and the capital of this country, as being the first successful competition in Mexico with the European product.

The Chebeygan News this week replies to our article on the political murder and bull dozing in the south under the head of "Dare Not Face the Real Issue." The News probably refers to the tariff question, but the Herald knows of no issue as vital to our government and the lives of its citizens as the sacred rights to cast their ballots according to the dictates of conscience and have them fairly counted. If we prove that men are shot and bullet-proofed for exercising their just rights, then we shall prove that no more important issue can exist. —Ogemaw Co. Herald.

The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette calls the turn on those papers which are assuming that the Democrats, in gerrymandering this state, are merely following Republican precedent, and states the cold facts thus:

"Ohio Republicans have never been guilty of that outrage. There have been in Ohio only three interferences, by gerrymandering, with the decennial arrangement of districts, and all of them have been by the Democrats. The Republican regular decennial arrangement of districts, abolished by the present gerrymander, was so fair that the Democrats have elected fourteen out of twenty-one congressmen under it."

The defeat of the Blair educational bill was not unexpected. It was a bill of good intentions and had it been more judiciously treated and chaperoned its chances for becoming a law would have been favorable. It had many friends, however, so far as its object was concerned, who were in doubt as to the results of its operation. It was most bitterly assailed by some of the leading papers and statesmen of the South, they declaiming that few if any Southern states would accept the aid it proposed to give. It was opposed by many good men of the North because they doubted the wisdom of the policy it represented. —Detroit Tribune.

The Democrat. Reply to Hayseed.

I am glad to know that a tax is not a wrong; your unfairness is shown in the connected assertions that a tariff is a tax and the tariff is a robber, all uttered in one breath. You have pinned your political salvation on the Mills bill. Now if that bill had passed and become the law it would have taken according to your argument three cents a pound more or less out of every poor man's pocket for every pound of sugar he ate. Now if you call the old iron on sugar robbery what think you of that Mills' tariff? As to your tin dinner pail argument; when the tariff of 11-10 cts. a pound was placed on tin plate, that industry started up in this country and in consequence the English manufacturers reduced the price of tin plate to such an extent that it killed it out here, and then up went the price again. You say that under the proposed tariff of 15 cts. a pound the price of dinner pails will be doubled. Let us see now I think a pound of tin plate will make a dinner pail. The new tariff will make the pail cost one and four tenth cents extra. A cent and a half on one pail and one pail will last perhaps five years. Now what an argument is your dinner pail, with that Mills' bill tariff of 3 cents a pound or two to five pounds of sugar used every week. As to your question to name a single instance where a farmer is benefited by a tariff. I don't raise any more wheat than I use myself but I can state the principle. A raises 500 bushels of wheat in Mich. B raises 500 bushels in Canada, both sell their wheat to C in Port Huron Mich. A gets \$500 for his wheat, B the Canada man gets \$100 only, because of the tariff C pays the \$100 into the U. S. Treasury. Take off the 20 cents a bushel tariff on B's wheat, and C would pay the Michigan man no more than he does the Canada man, consequently A would loose the \$100. If he so lost he would be compelled to reduce the price, he paid his farm help. If B sold at the full price \$500 he would be stimulated to increase the product and thus glad the market, that would reduce the price to A's disadvantage and the government would loose its \$100.

H. S.

The Vital Question.

"The AVALANCHE wants us to copy some of its silly clippings on the so-called southern outrage. We have not the space to spare, neither if we had, have we the desire to do any such thing."

"They are exaggerated and buried in our faces for the sole purpose of diverting the attention of the people from the one great question, that of tariff reform." —Democrat.

There is no issue as vital to the government as the sacred right of the people to cast their ballots according to the dictates of their own conscience and have them counted. The democratic party is trying to lose sight of this question which is paramount to that of any other. The right of every man to cast his ballot but once and have it counted in the south as well as in the North is as necessary to good government if not more so than tariff reform, and a vote cast in the North should count as much as it does in the South. To show that it does not do so, we give the following clipping from the National Tribune which statement is taken from the official records and the editor of the Democrat can verify it to their readers, but nevertheless it is in accordance with the ideas and principles of their party:

The worst menace to our liberties is the fact that the delegations in the South are elected by less votes than are required to elect a single Representative in the North. Take, for example, the Georgia delegation in the last Congress. The votes on the different Representatives were as follows:

Dist. Representatives. For Against.

1. T. M. Norwood..... 2,061 17

2. H. G. Turner..... 2,111

3. C. F. Crisp..... 1,704

4. T. W. Grimes..... 2,009 330

5. J. D. Stewart..... 2,399

6. J. H. Blount..... 1,722

7. J. C. Clement..... 5,053 1,557

8. H. H. Carlton..... 2,877 55

9. A. D. Candler..... 2,355 11

10. Geo. T. Barnes..... 1,944

25,525 1,950

At the same election 34,515 votes were cast for S. R. Peters, of the Seventh District of Iowa; 25,070 for his Democratic opponent, and 1,467 for the Prohibitionist—total, 61,052.

That is, more than twice as many votes were required to elect one Representative in Iowa than in Georgia.

Peters received nearly 9,000 more votes than the whole Georgia delegation.

and his Democratic opponent

within a few hundred of as many as the whole of them. A vote in Iowa

would, therefore, count in Congress

for only about one twenty-third of a

Georgia's vote.

There is a man in Grand Traverse county who claims to have solved the question of making jack pine plains productive. The first thing he does is to fill his ground as full of tile drains as though it was a swamp, claiming that thereby he gives the soil ventilation and at the same time puts it into such a porous condition as to make it retain moisture as well as any land; next he plows it two or three times, then seeds it to clover, plows the clover into the ground, seeds it again and again and plows the clover down and then the job is done. The ground, he says, comes out as rich and smiling as the best clay loam. —Detroit News.

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J. C. HANSON, Local Editor.

THURSDAY, MARCH 27, 1890.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Claggett & Pringle keep the best Teas and Coffees in town.

The "Fair" comes next.

Choice California Dried Fruits at the store of Claggett & Pringle.

Two days of solid enjoyment at the Fair, next week.

O. J. Bell is crowding out the sides of his store with new goods.

An F. O. G. T. Lodge has been formed at Gaylord.

The musical feature of the "Fair" will be fine.

New schemes in Baking Powder and Coffee at the Pioneer store of Salling, Hanson & Co.

O. W. Vandyne has a cozy cottage enclosed, on Maple street.

Fresh Butter and Eggs at Claggett & Pringle's.

The "Fair" is bound to be a success. Go and see for yourself.

New stock of Ladies' Walking JACKETS just received at H. Joseph's.

C. E. Hicks, of Frederie, and W. O. Bradford of Blaine, were in town last Monday.

Finest assortment of Beaded Capes just received at H. Joseph's.

The annual encampment of the sons of veterans will be held at Lansing in July.

Buy your drugs and medicines at Fournier's. Everything new, fresh and fine.

It is requested that all articles intended for the fair be brought to Mrs. Michelson or Mrs. Staley, Monday.

Before purchasing Walking JACKETS or Braided Capes, call at H. Joseph's.

H. H. Woodruff has planted 12,000 young trout in Roscommon county streams.

Oranges, lemons, cocoanuts and bananas at the market of Comer & Taylor.

W. Hueston, of Hillsdale county, was the guest of county clerk Masters, a part of last week.

The ladies will be especially pleased to see Bell's stock of fine shoes.

Lyon & Connor have put a large sign in front of their store. The artist work is by W. Mitchell.

Take Fournier's Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry for coughs and colds.

Detroit to select spring Military for Mrs. Mitchell. Watch out for beauty.

For fresh butter, eggs, etc., go to the new Meat Market of Comer & Taylor.

W. S. Chalker completed the banking of his logs before the break-up, and is now driving them on the river.

Sewing Machine for sale. Enquire at this office.

Buy a ticket for the High School entertainment, whether you can attend or not.

In Clothing, H. Joseph dedicates any competition in the state.

Every patron of our school should take a personal interest in the entertainment at the church tomorrow evening.

Silver Leaf Flour. The best in town. For sale by Lyon & Connor.

Chas. Ingerson has completed his job on the North Branch, and goes at once into camp on the south side of the main stream, in 26 1/2.

Try the roasted Rio coffee, 25¢, at the Pioneer store. It is a pleasant drink and can't be beat for the money.

MARRIED—On Saturday, the 22d inst., by Justice Woodburn, Miss Lucy Abrams and Mr. Frederick Milner, all of Grayling.

O. J. Bell's spring stock is arriving in immense shape. It looks as though he could show this county for the year and have stock left.

Claggett & Pringle keep the best Ladies' \$3.00 shoes in town. Call and see them.

The spring term of school closes tomorrow, and it is conceded that the Grayling graded school is reaching a plane second to none in the state.

Get your tinware at S. H. & Co.'s Pioneer store. They keep the anti-rust proof. Every piece warranted.

Roscommon has a new barber named Shark, who is reported to be a good shaver. Shark is a name that is applied to many other shavers.

Remember that the bargains in clothing at the Pioneer store is limited. Take advantage of it while it lasts.

Miss Maggie McDougal, of Cass City, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Berkemeyer.

Have you looked at the two dollar Ladies' shoes O. J. Bell is selling. They are the best ever offered in Grayling. Every pair warranted.

John Daley has bought the Watt store building at Otsego Lake, and is going to convert it into a hotel. —*O. J. Bell's Herald*.

Our spring stock of Hats and Caps are just being opened. Now is your time to purchase while stock is fresh, at the Pioneer store.

Ladies call and see Claggett & Pringle's New Flannel Suitings, Sicilians, Satins, Ribbon etc., which they have just received.

Fred Hossell's chickens gets away with the Wilcox report of a big egg, last week, and in this case we have got the egg, which measures 6 3/8 x 1 1/4 inches. Next.

Did you see the hand painted Oil Pictures which H. Joseph gives away with every twenty-five dollars of purchases. They are the finest ever shown.

The Michelson & Hanson Lumber Co., are among the lucky ones, having finished their work with no logs hung up. They have put in nine and a half million.

New line of Ladies' Misses', and Gent's spring Shoes and Slippers, just received at Claggett & Pringle's.

Mrs. Frank Forbes will start on a visit to her brother in Oregon, next Monday. See card "For Sale" in another column.

Married—at the Grayling House Mar. 20th, by Rev. C. E. Hill, Charles R. Thurston to Miss Rhsa Borkland.

Penoyer Bros., of Au Sable, who have been lumbering on the South Branch east of the village, broke camp yesterday. They banked upwards of 3,000,000 feet.—*Ros. News*.

Remember you can find the largest and best assortment of Clothing, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes etc., at H. Joseph's.

D. Johnson, of Cheney, has been on the section six years, but has now thrown off the yoke and will move on his farm in South Branch next week. Success to farmer Johnson.

Everybody purchasing twenty-five dollars worth of goods at H. Joseph's will be entitled to one of those elegant hand painted oil pictures.

The next regular Communication of Grayling Lodge No. 336, F. & A. M. will be held on Thursday evening, April 3d 1890, instead of the 6th as printed on the Calendars.

The cantata of Queen Esther will not be given at Grayling as at first intended, on account of not being able to secure a hall at the time desired. —*West Branch Democrat*.

FOR SALE, the cheapest residence property in Grayling. Good house and good location. Reason for selling, have gone into business in another town. Enquire here.

The botanical building of the Agricultural College burned, Monday morning, having caught from a defective flue. The loss on building is about \$10,000, the loss in material is incalculable.

The place to buy groceries is at a grocery store, the place to buy shoes is at a shoe store. O. J. Bell keeps a first class shoe store and now has in stock the finest line of Ladies', Misses', Mens', Boys and Children's fine shoes. Give him a call.

A. Mr. Newkirk, a brother of Otto Newkirk, of Ball township, was in the village Monday and took the train for New York, enroute for the Old Country after a bride to whom he had been engaged for several years.—*Ros. News*.

U. S. Grant post, G. A. R., has decided to move to the 14th street, the anniversary of the firing on Fort Sumter and the death of Abraham Lincoln. An open meeting will be held next Thursday night. —*Bay City Times*.

A quartz vein bearing free gold at \$20,000 per ton was struck on the property of the Gold Lake mining company last Friday. The Ishpeming gold range is in another fever of excitement in consequence.

The state papers are publishing caucuses announcement again. It is almost time to elect new township officers. A word to Michigan Republicans: Attend your caucuses; nominate your best men; be at the polls early election day.

The A and B classes of the Grayling High School, assisted by the best local talent will give a musical and literary entertainment at the M. E. church, tomorrow (Friday) evening. The proceeds are to be used for the purchase of an encyclopedia for the use of the school.

NOTICE. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, being thankful for past favors, would respectfully say to the public that they have commenced work for this spring, and will do all kinds of painting, staining, calsoining and paper hanging, as cheap as the cheapest and neatest.

A. C. Sly who has just finished a successful term of school in Blaine township, has been granted a first grade certificate in Roscommon county with an average standing of 90 per cent. This being the first and only first grade certificate ever received in the county. Bert has gone back to the Agricultural College to finish his graduating course.

Wolves are very thick on Beaver Creek, in the northwest part of Alpena county. They drove a woodsman into the river, and if his cries had not brought help, they probably would have eaten him. After nightfall they have followed the teams to the landings, coming within a few rods of the men. —*Bay City Times*.

John Daley has bought the Watt store building at Otsego Lake, and is going to convert it into a hotel. —*O. J. Bell's Herald*.

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The new tax law cuts quite a hole in township and school taxes, as it makes every fund stand its share of the taxes returned. Thus each school district has to carry the delinquent taxes in its own territory until they are collected by the county or state and returned back to the townships.

Mrs. T. W. Mitchel wishes to announce to the ladies of Grayling and vicinity, that her trimmer, Miss Mattie Swinson has gone to Detroit, where she will spend the next two weeks in the best "Trimming Room" in the state. Look for something lovely on her return.

The friends of Frank Bell will be pleased to know that he was last week admitted to practice law, having passed a satisfactory examination before the Washtenaw County Bar. He will remain at the university through the present term. The AVAVALANCHE wishes him unbounded success.

D. C. W. Smith has just received from Philadelphia, a fine microscope, of large power. Medical science has reached that point where the use of such an instrument seems almost indispensable. If not actually necessary, it is at least wonderfully convenient and satisfactory.

Ruddock Post G. A. R. attended services at the Methodist church, last Sunday evening, and listened to a very practical and able sermon delivered by Rev. John Hamilton, a veteran himself. His text was from Paul's letter to Timothy: "Fight the good fight of faith." —*Cheb. Tribune*.

Early Saturday morning while John Carter, a farmer of Centra Plains who was working at McMullen's banking ground unloading logs, was seriously injured by being caught by the logs as they fell from the sleigh, three of them passing over him. The injured man was removed to his home and Dr. J. H. Curnalia called, who found him terribly bruised but no bones broken. —*Ros. News*.

A school teacher says that pupils who have access to newspapers at home, when compared with those who have not, are better readers, better spellers, better grammarians, excellent in pronunciation and read more understandingly, and obtain a practical knowledge of geography in almost half the time it requires others. The newspaper is decidedly an important factor in modern life. —*Macedona Herald*.

An exchange says that a young girl once asked an editor this extraordinary question: "Do you think it is right for a girl to sit on a young man's lap, even if he is engaged?" Whereupon the editor told this extraordinary lie: "We have no experience in the matter referred to, but if it was our girl and our lap, yes; if it was another fellow's girl and another's lap, no." —*W. H. Miller*.

A fair audience were present at the M. E. church, Tuesday evening, despite the terrible weather, to listen to the lecture of Rev. C. W. Carrick, of West Branch, descriptive of the "Battlefield of Gettysburg." The subject was illustrated by a large map of the field, and the movement of the troops from the time they left the Rappahannock, to the close of the battle, which was practically ended byicket charge at the "Bloody Angle," could be easily followed by the audience and a number of old veterans who were there declared they could hear the thunder of the artillery. We shall hope to hear from him again.

In a letter to the Real City Chronicle April 14, the anniversary of the firing on Fort Sumter and the death of Abraham Lincoln, he says: "Advise everybody to stay at home; that the west is a grand and the climate a delusion; that while farming is not yet overdone in the west, all other business is overdone and the only good business west is real estate, as long as they can get eastern suckers to bait and mortgage property to them at from four to six times as much as its real value, it will continue to be good."

Frederick Denny Larke is the factotum of Rogers City. When last heard from he was only an editor, postmaster, president of the village council, druggist, physician, county abstractor, real estate agent, lumberman, general storekeeper and for 14 years had served as county clerk. He came to town in '69, having before worked in the Hudson bay district. He was one of the founders of the place and has been at the beginning of nearly everything political and financial connected with Presque Isle county. He is an Englishman, a Roman Catholic and a republican. —*Detroit News*.

In "Peterson" for April the ladies will find the very freshest and prettiest of spring styles, with ample directions for their make up. There are also numerous costumes for the children and plenty of new needlework patterns.

"Queen Louise, of Prussia, and her Sons" is a beautiful engraving, and the full page wood illustration, "Starting Off" is a very striking picture. "What Easter Brought" is a charming story and unusually well illustrated.

Mrs. Lucy H. Hooper's capital serial, "A Magnificent Marriage," ends in this number, and Miss Alice Bowman's "Story of Dagmar" admirably continues.

The short stories and poems are all good, most of them far above the average. The department of "Things Worth Knowing" proves most interesting and useful. "Peterson" steadily improves and by its excellence and versatility gains each year a deeper hold on public favor. Terms, \$2.00 a year. Address Peterson's Magazine, 390 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

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Frederic Milner, 26, Grayling, and Lucy, Abrahams, 20, Forman, Mich. Chas. R. Thurston 32, Grayling, and Rosa Borkland 19, Grayling.

There is a famine of school teachers in Oscoda county. The examiner says they get married as soon as he has them started, or else go back to logging. He talks of importing some unmarried school maids; but, in a country where women are so scarce, even old maids are at a premium.

Republican Caucus.

The Republicans of Grayling Twp. will meet in caucus on Friday evening April 5th 1890, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several Township offices to be filled at the coming election. Mar. 26, '90.

By order of Twp. Com.

The Delineator.

The Delineator for April 1890 has been received, and like all previous numbers is just what a Ladies' Fashion Magazine should be. The styles for April look sumptuous approaching from the lightness and airiness of the fabrics shown and the manner in which they are made up. Now is the time to subscribe. Price one dollar per year. Subscriptions received at this office.

500 Children Will Sing.

on the afternoon and evening of the opening day (April 22) of the Detroit Floral and Musical Charity Festival. These children are being trained by Mrs. Emma A. Thomas, director of vocal music in the Detroit public schools. The songs will be from popular operas and the national airs of various countries. "Columbia" will be the opening number, and will be accompanied by the waving of 500 little flags, and "everybody" will have an opportunity to hear the children sing.

The Fair.

The Young People's Society of the M. E. church will hold a Fair and Festival at the Rink, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. The Fair will open Wednesday evening, with supper from 5 to 8.

The National Carnival, commencing with a Grand March, at 7:30 will be a magnificent pageant, representing the costumes and colors of all nations.

The different booths will be supervised by young ladies in national costumes, and the articles presented for sale will be of great variety, for use and ornament.

Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say advertised.

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If you are troubled with any disease of Kidneys, Liver or Stomach, of long or short standing you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c. and \$1 per bottle at H. C. Thatcher's Drug Store.

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Judge John C. GLEASON, oath that he is the

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CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County

and State of Ohio; and that the said firm

has been engaged in the manufacture of

each and every case of Calumet that cannot be

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"Here," said the nimble editor, "what do

you mean by writing this heading? 'A Sad and Fatal Accident?' Did you ever

know of a fatal accident that was not sad?"

"Yes, sir," replied the assistant

promptly. "A book agent was sent to

pieces by a train on the Narrow Gauge

road yesterday morning."

The nimble editor set the headline to

Somerville Journal.

The Pride of His Class.

He was a bright, healthy boy of sixteen,

sun-temped, brilliant, and engaging,

the delight of his parents, the joy of his

friends, and the pride of his school. But

he had sold his bright prospects.

It began with a trifling cold.

Soon came

promotions of consumption; his strength

faded, his cheeks grew hollow, and he

soon dropped to the only rank he had

achieved, that of Golden Master.

He tried it and was saved. Health

and strength returned, his cheerful voice

rang out across the school playground,

his cheeks again grew rosy; his eyes

bright; he still "the pride of his school

and the graduate of this year, who has

been the recipient of many marked attentions

and honors.

LIVES LOST THROUGH A BLUNDER.

Three Persons Killed and Six Injured in a

Wreck Near Portage Bridge, N. Y.

A passenger train and a heavy freight

train collided on the Western New York

and Pennsylvania Road near Portage, on

the Genesee River, forty miles from Olean,

N. Y. The accident was caused by Operator

D. C. Neil at Rossville, giving the wrong

orders. The killed are: Philip Riley, of

Rochester; George Ralston, of Portage;

and James McKenzie, of Nunda. The injured

are: Frank Ewart, steward of passenger train; two unknown lay passengers.

Conductor Gottfrey, Engineer W. A.

Warner, of the passenger train, and John

Shut, engineer of the freight train. Ewart

will die.

TERRELL EXPLOSION IN PERU.

Five Persons Killed and Forty Hurt at a

Mining Hamlet.

During a severe electric storm that swept

over the mining region at Huachuca, in

Arizona, the lightning struck the magazine,

exploding 200 cases of dynamite and gun-

powder. The entire works were wrecked,

five persons were killed outright, and

about forty more or less seriously injured.

First ask your druggist; should he not

keep it, we will send on receipt of price, St

VERMATIC SYRUP.

Jackson, Mich.

A FRENCH family in the Department of

the Sambre is excited over the story that a

fortune of \$40,000,000 awaits it in this

country, having been left by a native

who died here two years ago, and

whose estate has since they are told,

been unclaimed. Sixty heirs have turned

up already.

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that

Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is

making some remarkable cures with people

who are troubled with Coughs, Sore Throat,

Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Any

druggist will give you a trial bottle free of

cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure.

The Large Bottles are \$6 and \$1.

The oldest editor in Ohio is Orlon Follett,

of Sandusky. He is nearly ninety-four years of age.

Love Letters

Are always interesting, but the Love-Letter

Contest advertised in this issue will

prove to be the most interesting.

Editor of CHINNIX CONNERS is thorough-

ly reliable, and our subscribers need not

hesitate in replying to his advertisement.

Bronchitis is cured by frequent small

doses of Piso's Cure for Consumption.

Order and have "Painfull's Punch" Cigar.

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AN INDIAN MORE THAN 150 YEARS OLD

Death of "Old Gabriel," the Most Re-

markable Man on the Pacific Coast.

A Salinas, Cal., dispatch says: "The

Indian known throughout this section of

the State as "Old Gabriel" died at the County

Hospital of old age. Authentic records

fix his age at 151 years.

Another Row in Bosnia.

Dispatches received at Vienna say that a

band of Serbian militia tried to capture the

Metzinger Light by Austrian General.

During the engagement several were killed

on both sides. The Austrian Government

has demanded an explanation of the affair

from Serbia.

A Bounty Bill Introduced.

Senators Ingalls, by request, has intro-

duced a bill to give every soldier or

sailor who served ninety days or longer in

the late war a bounty of \$50 a year for every

year's service or part of a year.

Another Siberian Exile.

Mme. Tschekhov, author of a pamphlet

on the subject of Siberian prisons, a copy

of which was snatched into the Czar's

apartments, has been exiled to Siberia.

A Chemist in Treasury Department.

Charles A. Crampion, of Illinois, has

been appointed chemist of the Internal

Revenue Bureau of the Treasury Depart-

ment.

John Bull Wants the Whisky Mills.

OPTIONS on nine large Kentucky distil-

leries have been secured by a British

syndicate.

Terrible Boiler Explosion.

A boiler in a sawmill at Wickliffe, Ky.

exploded, killing two men and badly injur-

ing five.

The St. Louis Trotting Meeting.

It has been decided to hold this year's

trotting meeting of the St. Louis Fair Asso-

ciation from Sept. 2 to Sept. 6 inclusive.

Glass Works at Canton, Ohio, Destroyed.

The Canton (Ohio) Glass Works have

been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$60,000; in-

sured for \$20,000. Two hundred men are

thrown out of employment. It was one of

the largest establishments of the kind in

this country. Eight freight cars belonging

to the Pennsylvania Company were also de-

stroyed.

Urning the Temperance Crusade.

A letter signed by Archbishop Walsh and

other prelates has been read in the Catho-

lic churches of Ireland urging the promotion

of the new temperance crusade.

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